

Attorney Docket No. 655-022nc2

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of

Examiner: Dalzid Singh

Tsushima

Group Art Unit: 2633

Serial No.: 10/806,705

Filed: March 22, 2004

For: OPTICAL TRANSMISSION APPARATUS AND
OPTICAL SYSTEM

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

In connection with the above-referenced application, please enter this response in Reply to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated April 12, 2006. A copy of the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment is enclosed. In the Notice, the Legal Instruments Examiner indicated that the "Amendments to the Claims" portion of the amendment submitted on April 5, 2006 did not include a complete listing of the claims. As such, Applicant hereby resubmits the entire "Amendments to the Claims" section, attached as Exhibit 1, to replace the previously submitted "Amendments to the Claims" section from the April 5, 2006 Amendment. Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.121(h) only the corrected section of the non-compliant amendment document is being

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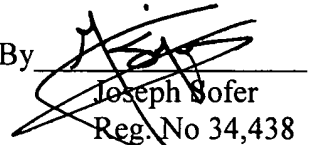
resubmitted.

Specifically, in the corrected "Amendments to the Claims" section, the listing of the claims includes claims 1-16 and their status (cancelled). If the Examiner requires any additional material or has any questions they may contact the undersigned at the number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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